

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Child and Family Services Agency

CONTRACTS AND PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATION

**DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS FOR
A SOLE SOURCE CONTRACT**

CONTRACT NO.: DCRL-2021-C-0015

CAPTION: Therapeutic Residential Treatment Services

PROPOSED CONTRACTOR: Streetlight USA

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

D.C. Official Code § 2-354.04, 27 DCMR 1304 and 1700, 1701

2. MINIMUM NEED:

The District of Columbia, Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA), has the following immediate need:

The District of Columbia, Child and Family Services Agency (CFSA) has a need to provide trauma-informed, CSEC-informed treatment in a residential setting with the contractor listed above, in order to assist CFSA in maintaining its compliance with the LaShawn A. v. Bowser Implementation Plan.

3. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE:

NTE \$200,000.00

4. FACTORS WHICH JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

- (a) The Child and Family Services Agency, as part of the ongoing *LaShawn A v. Bowser* federal litigation, is required to provide services that will enable CFSA youth to successfully transition out of the child welfare system;
- (b) Streetlight USA is a unique program that was identified and vetted jointly by CFSA's OWB, Placement Administration, and the OAG. CFSA has historically been unable to identify any programs such as Streetlight, including during local and national searches. The team that identified Streetlight has concluded that Streetlight will provide trauma-informed, CSEC-informed treatment to the unique subset of CFSA youth who require this level of service.

- (c) The services provided by Streetlight are not replicated elsewhere in the placement or treatment arrays used by CFSA and there are no Medicaid providers that provide similar services.

5. CERTIFICATION BY AGENCY HEAD:

I hereby certify that the above findings are true, correct and complete.

Date

Brenda Donald
Director

6. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTING OFFICER

I have reviewed the above findings and certify that they are sufficient to justify the use of the sole source method of procurement under the cited authority. I certify that the notice of intent to award a sole source contract was published in accordance with 27 DCMR 1304 and that no response was received. I recommend that the Chief Procurement Officer approve the use of the sole source procurement method for this proposed contract

Date

Tara Sigamoni
Agency Chief Contracting Officer

DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the cited authority, I hereby determine that it is not feasible or practical to invoke the competitive bidding process under either Section 402 or 403 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practice Reform Act of 2010 (D.C. Law 18-371; D.C. Official Code §2-354.02 or 2-354.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the sole source method of procurement.

Date

Tara Sigamoni
Agency Chief Contracting Officer